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In re Application of: Gazeley)
Application No. 10/594,129) DECISION ON PROTEST UNDER
Filed: September 25, 2006) 37 CFR §1.291
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This is in response to the protest under 37 CFR §1.291 filed on February 26, 2008.

37 CFR § 1.291 states, in pertinent part, the following:

37 CFR 1.291. Protests by the public against pending applications.

- (b) The protest will be entered into the record of the application if, in addition to complying with paragraph (c) of this section, the protest has been served upon the applicant in accordance with §1.248, or filed with the Office in duplicate in the event service is not possible; and, except for paragraph (b)(1) of this section, the protest was filed prior to the date the application was published under § 1.211, or a notice of allowance under § 1.311 was mailed, whichever occurs first:
- (1) If a protest is accompanied by the written consent of the applicant, the protest will be considered if the protest is matched with the application in time to permit review during prosecution.
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Any inquiry regarding this decision should be directed to Josie A. Ballato, Special Program Examiner at 571-272-3567.

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